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Democratic Presidential Electors.

A. G. CHATFIELD,
LUTHER DEARBORN,
C. H. LIENAU,
W. W. PHELPS.

HORATIO ROBINSON.

Prisoner Examined and Held.
The Examination Orderly and Quiet.

The preliminary examination of Horatio Robinson, was held at the Court House, at 10 o'clock A. M. Saturday last. The trial took place in the lower room of the wing part of the Court House before Justices J. A. Sargent, of Chaska, and J. S. Letford, of Carver. The room was crowded to its utmost capacity, and many failed to gain admittance. It is certainly creditable to Chaska, that not the least disorder prevailed during the examination, although the enormity of the crime, was calculated to stir up what bitter feelings there is within man's breast. Yet, we do not hesitate to say, that a more peaceful, law abiding community than this, cannot be found within the limits of the State.

The prisoner presented a most pitiable and abject appearance. His countenance is indicative of a perfect coward. We cannot properly represent his woe-begone look. He was dressed exactly as he was when he committed the crime, with his hands heavily ironed in front, and his head hanging on his breast. Sheriff Letford, in every precaution, necessary to insure the safety of the prisoner, should any one of violence, and performed his duty in a commendable manner.

The following is the substance of the testimony taken:
Dr. William Roy—I am a physician, practicing in this town; about the 12th of this month I attended upon the daughter of Mr. Warner; she had been beaten on the head, and there were marks of fingers on her throat; her lips were also swollen as though an attempt had been made to force something into her mouth to gag her; some of her teeth had been knocked out; indications of a very severe blow were to be seen on her left eye; the vagina had been cut with some sharp instrument, and the partition which separated the former from the anus had been severed.

Samuel Parlin, a boy 6 years and 9 months old—Week before last I was on the Minnesota river with Lilly Warner and my sister; I saw that man (the prisoner) over there then; I was as near to him as I am now (about three feet); he asked me if anybody else was here, and I said, yes, Lilly Warner and my sister; we were picked up by the (prisoner) said to Lilly, come along with me and I will show you lots of good money; they went along a little way, and then he (the prisoner) and Lilly lay down; I picked flowers a little, and then with my sister went over to the ferry and the ferryman asked us to go back and hunt for Lilly; I went back and met this man (the prisoner).

Question—How do you know this man is the one?

Answer—I know by his face. He looked just as he does now; he afterwards asked the way to Belle Plaine; we went along up towards the depot and he went up a path; I went with him because I did not know the way home, for we had gone so far; we got under a tree on the top of a hill; he made me and my sister take some whiskey; he poured it into my mouth; after that things seemed to go round, and I sat down; my sister did not sit down; the man kept her by him; I and my sister sat there all night, and the man said there all night also; neither myself nor my sister went to sleep; we cried all night; towards morning the man told both of us to go to the depot; he said he was going there too; we did not see any more of Lilly; I asked the man where Lilly was and he told me to come along with him.

Mrs. Albertine Ess—I saw the defendant in June, Thursday and Friday, about two weeks ago—the day the offense was committed; I am positive this is the man; he slept in the barn the night before the crime, and the same day of the crime went over the river on the ferry.

John Grace stated that he resided in St. Paul and gave the particulars of the arrest which were the same as those heretofore published; he said that Mr. Grace also testified that the prisoner made a full confession to him, without the hope of reward or fear of punishment.

Dr. C. P. Fisher testified that he visited the prisoner in his cell at Chaska on Friday, the day before the preliminary examination, and that the defendant

confessed to him the crime of having raped the little girl.

Mr. Frederick Mies—I reside in Chaska, on the ferryman between this place and the opposite side of the Minnesota river; I know the defendant and saw him on the 12th when I ferried him over the river; I think he crossed on the ferry between 10 and 12 in the forenoon. I think I saw him on the other side of the river about one o'clock in the afternoon; I saw nothing particular about his appearance; he did not seem to me to be at all drunk when he crossed, or afterwards; Lilly Warner, during the afternoon, came and said she wanted to go over and pick flowers, and the two boys children also came, and they then went over together; about four o'clock the Paria children came down to the ferry, and wanted to come back; I asked them where Lilly was; could not understand what they said; I thought they must have had some trouble—some kind of a quarrel among themselves; they both looked kind of curious, as though something had happened they did not want to tell about. I told them they must go back and get Lilly and that I would not take part of them and not all. They went back to look after her, but did not return, and I became alarmed, and the more I thought of it the more I feared something had happened to the children. I finally concluded to go and look for them, and accordingly crossed the river and went up the road, when I found Lilly in the road coming towards me. She was all bruised and covered with blood. Her hair was all tangled up, and her clothes torn. She looked dreadfully. About 75 paces above her I found her basket with faded flowers in it. She said the man forced his four fingers in her mouth and tried to kill her. She walked to the ferry on the other side, and from the ferry on this side to her father's house.

At the close of the examination the prisoner was ordered back to confinement, there to be held till the next grand jury sits, when an indictment will be found against him.

Hon. Thomas A. Hendricks.

The New York Sun (Chas. A. Dana), daily trots out some new candidate for the Democratic nomination on the 4th of July. Having previously mentioned Seymour, Pendleton, Chase, McClellan, Hancock and a host of others, in terms commendatory and otherwise, Dana comes to Hon. Thomas A. Hendricks, of Indiana. We quote what is said of Mr. Hendricks for two reasons, viz: that the compliments to that gentleman are well deserved; and because it is well to have these slippery radicals

Thomas A. Hendricks, of Indiana, is now in his fifth year of service as a Senator of the United States. Mr. Hendricks is a native of Muskingum county, Ohio, and is now in his forty-ninth year. He is a graduate of South Hanover College, and a lawyer by profession. He was a representative in Congress from 1851 to 1855, and was Commissioner of the Land Office during the administrations of President Pierce and President Buchanan. In the Senate he has been faithful to his party, but uniformly voted the appropriations necessary to carry out the policy of the administration.

His disabilities for nomination, integrity and dignity of character. The regard in which he is held by the Republicans, may be understood from the fact that on Tuesday last, in a debate on a motion which he had made to remove political disabilities from Mr. George W. Jones, of Tennessee, Senator Cassius M. Clay, one of the most decided radicals in the Senate, said that "there was no endorsement which could be made of a character of a man that he would sooner receive than that made by the honorable Senator from Indiana."

It is to the credit of Mr. Hendricks that he has not sought the Presidential nomination. He has organized no faction and has no body guard. There is probably no man of his eminence in either party who has excited so few animosities among his political associates. The friends of all the other aspirants can cordially agree in his nomination, and there is not a Democrat in the land, of any stripe, who will not work with hearty good-will to secure his election.

Plowholders vs. Bondholders.
As an evidence that the financial policy of Mr. Pendleton is taking a strong hold upon the people of New York, we clip the following conclusion of a leading editorial in the Rochester (N. Y.) Union, a paper that has a larger circulation than any other Democratic paper in the Empire State. Says the Union:

We are justified, therefore, in the conclusion that the New York Convention of July 4th, will be substantially a unit for one taxation and one currency for all. Upon this as the main plank of the platform, opposed to the Republican plan for the perpetration of a bondholder's aristocracy, free from taxation and pampered with gold, and for a tax-ridden people put off with rags and compelled to support the aristocracy by the toil of their hands and the sweat of their brows—upon such a platform of equal justice and equal rights under a federal financial system, we shall march forward to a sweeping victory that will give us not only the Presidency but the House of Representatives in the next Congress.

HOME ITEMS.

HERALD AGENT CARVER—O. A. Du Toit.

Time Table of M. V. R. R.

The following indicates the time for the arrival of trains at Merriam Station:

Leave St. Paul, Minn., 7:50 A. M., 5:50 P. M.
Arrive at St. Paul, Minn., 11:00 A. M., 6:10 P. M.

J. F. Lincoln, Sup't.

THE CELEBRATION.

Programme.

A procession will form at 9 o'clock A. M. and march from the "Concordia Hall" to the picnic grounds, near Ulm's Brewery, under the direction of Fred Greiner, Marshal of the day.

Declaration of Independence.

Oration in English and German, by H. J. Peck and John Kerker.

Toasts.—Fred E. Du Toit and M. H. Ellis, toast masters.

Picnic immediately after the close of the exercises.

A good band of music will be in attendance throughout the day. During the evening there will be a torch light procession with Chinese lanterns, after which the days exercises will close with a grand ball.

There will also be other amusements during the day. Speeches will be made by some of our ablest home talent in both English and German.

ANNUAL MEETING

Of Carver Co. Bible Society.

The annual meeting of this Society was held last Sunday evening at the Moravian Church. Rev. Mr. Adams state agent was present, and opened the meeting by a few very interesting remarks. He stated the progress of the cause in which he was engaged, and the many obstacles the Society had to contend with, and also the great good that has been accomplished. Rev. Mr. Brooks associate agent also made a few entertaining remarks, dwelling quite eloquently upon the mission of the various bible societies. At the close of which a subscription paper was passed around the audience and some \$40.00 subscribed, a very acceptable amount, indeed.

The reports of the Secretary and Treasurer for the past year were read and approved. The reports show the Society in very good standing.

The following were the officers elected for the ensuing year:

Pres., Rev. C. L. Reineke; Vice Pres., Mrs. E. W. Griggs; Secretary, Mrs. E. S. N. Lee; Treasurer, Fred. This.

MENAGERIE AND CIRCUS.—Bailey's Menagerie and Circus, the greatest and most entertaining exhibition of the kind traveling in the West, will exhibit at Chaska in the afternoon and evening of Wednesday July 8th. This great show is a combination of 4 concerns, and certainly ranks anything of the kind ever in Minnesota. We advise any of our citizen wishing to witness a first class performance, to attend this one. For particulars see posters about town.

STILL SHIPPING.—The "Chaska Mill Co."

is still engaged in shipping flour below. Since our last "item" they have made several shipments, the last one being on Thursday last, when the Chippewa Falls took on board some 1000 barrels, laying at our landing and loading all night. This shipment goes to New York.

Hardware & Co., &c.

At the head of another column will be found the advertisement of Mr. H. R. Denny, successor to Harry Rogers, in the Hardware trade at Carver. Mr. Denny is a thorough business man, and with a large capital, has been able to introduce one of the largest and most complete assortments of goods in his store at Carver, that has ever been brought up the valley. Mr. D. is also sole agent for Johnson's Reapers, and the celebrated Moline Plow. With all these advantages in his favor, Mr. D. is certainly able to sell goods lower than any of his competitors. Therefore farmers and others wishing goods in his line should give him a call before purchasing elsewhere. Read ad. in another column.

PLEASANT CALLS.—We received several very pleasant calls last week from Messrs. Woodworth and Williams, reporters of the Pioneer and Dispatch, the two most spicy dailies in the West. The reporters were in town for the purpose of attending the preliminary trial of Horatio Robinson. They speak very highly of our citizens and the town in their letters to their respective papers.

Our old friend Fritz Oberle made town and old friends a call during the week.

Dr. C. P. Fisher of Madison Wis., was also in town.

D. B. De Land & Co.'s Chemical Saleratus is the best article in use. This article is made only at these works by a process known only to the proprietors, and is better for all purposes than Soda. Try it.

Unrequited Love.

BY GEORGE S. HOLMES.

"Her eye was bright, but who could tell
It shone with tears she strove to quell,
Her voice was gay, her steps were light,
All beaming beautiful, and bright,
Ah! who could think that all so fair
Was ambivalence and misery there!"

I cannot sing again that song,
Its tender thoughts are not for me;
To dwell upon the theme so long,
Will only mock my misery.
'Twas in my first, and early dream
Of love, he bade me sing it o'er,
But now it is a painful theme,
And I must never breathe it more!

To hide my anguish 'neath a smile,
Can only for a moment be;
It may be true, but death to me!
And yet he said, and death to me!
Oh! how I love the theme so long,
For I would hide me in the throng,
I'll shed no tears, for now I sing,
But never sing again that song!

At evening's sad and lonely hour,
My heart and thoughts will turn to thee,
And with a stern and withering power,
Thou wilt be true, and I will be true,
And when we meet, and when we part,
The careless eye shall never read,
That there is weeping in my heart,
And that each pore doth sadly bleed!

Riches, and attendant pleasures,
Gather 'round thy pathway here
Pure in her purity beguile
Always be around thee—near!
May no holy row thine heart beaming,
Make a bitter thought of me,
Only increase sweetly breathing,
Round thy fairy bride and thee.

Though my path be long and dreary,
Shut out from one ray of light,
And my soul, grows faint, and weary,
Walking in this dismal night;
In our parting, and our meeting,
I'll breathe a prayer for thee
And thou wilt be true to me,
They shall not hear a sigh from me.

There's singing now of bridal bells,
Rich jewels flashing on the fair
And sweet cathedral music awails
Pure in her purity beguile
Twinkling lights through arch, and nave,
Are gleaming as a starry veil,
Mirrored in the pale blue wave
Of an aerial ocean hung on high.

'Tis vain to weep for those who turn
With whispered vows to others ears
The vain to false as one to mourn
Or shed for him such bitter tears!
The silvery moon floats high above,
Pure in her purity beguile
And I will try to give my love
A shining light to his life to-night.

St. Paul Minn.

GODEY'S LADY'S BOOK.—The July number of Godsey's, which is on our table, commences the thirty-eighth volume of this popular Magazine. In illustrations and fashions Godsey fears no competition, and its literary matter is always pleasing and varied. The fact that this Magazine has always maintained its ground and the host of rivals which have sprung up all around it, is a convincing proof of its excellence.

Carver Items.

Our Special Correspondent.

LETTER.—An interesting letter will be found upon our fourth page. It will well pay perusal.

FARMING.—J. B. Pendergast is giving his house a fine coat of paint, which will materially improve its looks.

A. P. Peterson and John Snell have also been at that business. If more of our citizens would follow suit, our buildings would look much better.

PERSONAL.—Truman D. Strait and G. N. Du Bois of Shakopee made us a very pleasant call last week. They were feeling "unusually good," and we were glad to see it. Call again gentlemen.

Rev. M. N. Adams, State Agt. American Bible Society, has been in town a few days this week.

Big LOAD.—The steamer Chippewa Falls brought 20 Reapers for this place on Sunday last. The Chippewa is popular with such officers as Jas. Houghton on the roof, and Charlie Hall in the of-

Return.—We hear that D. L. How Esq. of Shakopee who has been down in Indiana and Michigan on a visit, has returned. He is looking as good and jovial as ever.

WARM.—Oh, how hot! on Monday and Tuesday the thermometer indicated 99° above zero. It was almost impossible to be out in the sun without fainting. But it is just the weather we want for corn.

MARKET DAY.—Saturday last was indeed the largest fair of the season, a very large quantity of stock was brought in and changed hands freely, and at good prices. There being plenty of buyers from abroad. Business at the stores was "more than good," all they could attend to. We will put Carver against the world.

ADDITION.—F. Holmes is putting a neat addition to his residence.

Charles Johnson is engaged in moving "Holmes blue ware house."

SPLENDID.—That "Ice Cream" at Glitschka's, call and taste it, with several other good things which he keeps.

BUSINESS.—Business has greatly improved within the last two weeks. We hope it will continue so.

CROPS.—The crops are all looking splendid throughout our County and we can look for a big crop.

SICK.—Mrs. Holmes little girl, Leni, has been quite sick during the past week. Mrs. Strocker, has also been quite sick, both under the treatment of Dr. Rogers, and are recovering.

New Advertisements.

H. R. Denny;

Dealer in

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Jobbing and Repairing neatly done.

Old Copper and Paper Rags taken in exchange for goods.

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Carver, Minn.

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W. H. TILTON, Taylor Falls, Minn.

FINKLE & LYON

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Sewing Machine.

The only machine so perfected that entire satisfaction is guaranteed on the purchase money refunded.

Where we have no Agent a sample Machine will be sold at very low price, and a Local Agent appointed on the most favorable terms.

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A book for all sections and all parties. This absorbingly interesting book by "The Great Statesman" of the South, presents a complete and impartial analysis of the causes of the war which have appeared from a Southern point of view. It treats without partisanship, and in the most moderate of the character of the struggle; and in its description of the conduct of the war, it gives those interior lights and shadows of the conflict only known to those high officers who watched the food-line of revolution from its fountain springs, and which were so accessible to Mr. Stephens from his position as second officer of the Confederate States. The results of the war, present and future, have never been treated by any other author, and Mr. Stephens' great abilities have here found their fullest play.

The intense desire everywhere manifested to obtain this work, its official character and ready sale, combined with an increased commission, make it the best subscription book ever published, and offers to Agents the finest opportunity to make money ever held in the history of books.

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L. L. BAXTER, J. A. SARGENT,

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ATTORNEY AT LAW, Chaska, Minn. Office at Court House, opposite Auditor's Office.

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Wm. RAY,

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Thos. Sheetz Proprietor.

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There is no medicine extant equal to those remedial in such cases. A ton and vigor is imparted to the whole system, the appetite is strengthened, and the system is brought back to its normal condition, and the system is brought back to its normal condition, and the system is brought back to its normal condition.

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RATES OF ADVERTISING.
 One square one insertion..... 50
 One square one month..... 1.50
 One square one year..... 15.00
 One column one insertion..... 25
 One column one month..... 7.50
 One column one year..... 75.00
 Business cards not over 10 lines..... 5.00
 over 10 lines and under 15..... 7.00
 over 15 lines and under 20..... 10.00
 Legal advertisements per square, first insertion, 75 cents, each subsequent insertion 50 cents.
 Lead notices 10 cents per line. In insertion, each subsequent insertion, 5 cents per line. All notices less than five lines, 25 cents.

A LETTER FROM CARVER.

Doings of a Night-owl.

Mr. Editor.—I am sorry to have to say, that we are seriously annoyed by a very objectionable character who commits some serious depredations upon us in dark times. He has bad habits, eccentric, and peculiar in his ways. His eccentricities, like night-blooming plants only develop themselves between sunset and sunrise.

In the evening I often fall into long reveries, and, love to sit in a dark room, with the blinds closed; and looking through the slats gaze on the stars, and as the night deepens contemplate the dark shadows of the trees on the hill side, and, I do believe, I sometimes talk to them, too. When I am indulging in this luxury, I sometimes see little scenes that the actors thereof do not intend for my eyes. On such an occasion, I was witness to one of our friends nocturnal gymnastics. I have a few words of advice and admonition for his consideration, and if you will allow us to make the columns of your paper our medium on this occasion, we will feel very grateful, and cheerfully render you, our unfeigned, "much obliged."

To HIM WHO UNDERSTANDS IT.

Mr. Light Finger,

Sir.—I am sorry, but circumstances at present lead me to say that you have some very objectionable habits. Whether they are born in you, or are acquired habits, is a metaphysical question, and need not be argued on the present occasion. You are objectionable because you are light fingered. You appropriate other people's property to your own use making yourself a nuisance to the neighborhood in which you live, when a petty thief is about, things are in a very uncertain state. Please tie up your foraging and thieving propensities as soon as dark comes, and then, the baby-cloths and tea-towels will be safe all night. Oh, you vile man! You are in a very unbecoming state of mind and body; you will now, you are. Oh shame on you! To rob the little innocents of their baby-harness, and tidy house-wives of their tea-towels! Oh shame on you! You are worse than the scurvy, meaner than the little Potato Bugs, or Body vermin. Body lice and nowhere to you!

Your taste may be good, your teeth and stomach may be partial to good things. This is all right, but people object to the unscrupulous slight of hand measure you take to supply them. Your mean petty practices show you to be vile and low in your nature. Why, not supply your wants in an honest manly way? You are able to do so!

You vile vinegar thief! You have plundered my neighbors long enough! Wood piles must no longer shrink at your approach, vinegar kegs remain undisturbed in the even tenor of their ways, and cloths lines float serene and secure all through the night. Oh, "by the by." How wasteful vinegar? Pretty good article, wasn't it? Why didn't you take kegs and all? Wasn't it rather tedious, carrying it off by the pail full? Oh, yes, I didn't think I you had far to carry it may be, and perhaps the keg might be in your way at home.

It may be well enough to have taste and fine conceptions but, keep a look out when there are breakers ahead! Dainty taste and even ordinary conceptions have brought about long and tedious confinement. Would you like seven or nine months hard labor in a work house? We guess not! This would wake you up, you mean bawky hoss you! Well it would. This would bring you to your senses, and baby harness, and tea-towels would become frightful to you. Pickles, indigestible things, and vinegar a horrible drug, only fit for Hotentots or wine.

When you were emptying that keg, and we have been sufficient for the season, what do you think would have been your destiny? Well, we would have had you under the spigot and filled your liver full, then banged you up tight, that had there been any virtue in your vinegar for keeping such vegetables, you would have been found in an hundred years to come, in a good state of preservation.

Do give up this degrading and uncertain business. Don't you feel badly when you look in the glass, and see the face of a low thief mirrored there? When you eat pickles, don't you feel mean, and constantly reminded by them, that it is stolen? When you drink vinegar, don't you feel that your manhood is gone, that you are of consequence, and have never had, are you not humbled in the very dust? You poor, poor man! You are in a more pitiable condition than the "black cow."

We advise you, as a matter of policy on your part, to bring back at least six gallons of that vinegar to the place you took it from. You had the empty keg waiting your conveyance, under the little shed at the end of the road. We prescribe you, our word of honor, in doing so, you shall not be exposed, nor rebuked. It will be to your interest, to think, on the present occasion, to get out of there. Now don't be tardy in leaving, and force me to write again, for, that I will remove your tamper, and make as my very best, perhaps, unpleasant things.

Yours, etc.

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LEGAL NOTICES.

State of Minnesota, } S. S.

County of Carver, }

In Probate Court.

As a special term of the Probate Court held in and for said County of Carver, Minnesota on the 27 day of June 1888 in the matter of the estate of Jacob Hedke late of said County deceased, on reading and filing the oath and petition of Louisa Hedke Krey formerly the widow of said deceased praying for reason, therein set forth that letters of administration issue to John Hedke.

It is ordered that Aug. 1st, 1888, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon at the Court House in Chaska, Minn. be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and all persons interested in said estate are requested to appear before said Court at the time and place aforesaid, and show cause why said petition should not be granted, and it is further ordered that said petitioner give notice of the pendency of said petition by causing a notice of this order to be published in the "Valley Herald" a weekly newspaper printed in said County, for three consecutive weeks previous to the said day of hearing.

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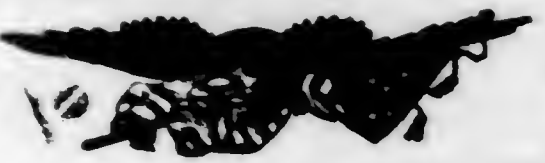
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CHASKA, FRIDAY, JULY 10, 1898.

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FOR VICE PRESIDENT.

Francis P. Blair.

OF MISSOURI.

Democratic Presidential Electors.

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DEMOCRATIC

NATIONAL NOMINATIONS.

Presidential Nominee.

HORATIO SEYMOUR.

Vice Presidential Nominee.

FRANCIS P. BLAIR.

Dispatches this Friday morning bring tidings of the nomination of Horatio Seymour of New York as the Democratic standard bearer in the Presidential Campaign. We understand that his nomination was made with great unanimity, and that old Tammany Hall shook to the very foundation, with cheers. Mr. Seymour is one of the very ablest Statesmen of the day, with a large comprehensive mind, is well calculated to carry our Country safely through the perils that now surround her, arising from radical misrule.

We have no time this week to speak at length of the nomination. But we believe that the key note of victory has been sounded in the nomination of that able and tried Statesman; we believe that the people have had enough of the radical "rule and ruin policy" that has instead of decreasing, increased our national debt—that annually expends millions of the peoples money, in maintaining a Freedmans Bureau, whose sole object is to gain nigger votes; we believe in the face of these and other well known facts, that the people have a duty before them that they will and truly perform next November.

General Francis P. Blair, of Missouri, was nominated unanimously for Vice President. Gen. Blair is well known throughout the United States, as an able gentleman, a follower of the old school of Jackson and Benton.

So, we present our readers this week a ticket composed of the Statesman and the Soldiers around which the people will rally in November, and we have no doubt of certain victory.

Next week we shall give the proceedings of the Convention at length—Pendleton, Hancock and Hendricks were the most prominent candidates before the Convention, but neither were enabled to come up to the required figure.

H. L. Palmer, of Wisconsin was temporary Chairman of the Convention. Gov. Seymour of New York was permanent Chairman, and upon taking the chair, made one of his glorious speeches.

OWATONA CONVENTION.

This radical pow-wow met at Owatona on the 8th. As yet, we are not advised of the nominee. The Convention was the most ordinary one, held within the State, Wilkinson and Dunnell had about the same strength, and Stearns held the balance of power.

LATER.

M. S. Wilkinson was nominated on the 37th as the Congressional candidate for the 1st District.

The Soldiers and Sailors Convention.

New York, July 5.—The Soldiers and Sailors Convention is in session. A resolution recommending General Hancock and Hon. Thomas Hendricks for the Presidential candidates, but pledging support to whatever nominee the National Convention may select was adopted. General McQuade then addressed the Convention.

One Thousand Dollars per Minute the Radical Cost of Carrying on the Government.

The interest on the public debt, is, in round numbers, \$150,000,000 per annum in gold, which being reduced to the currency of the people, make \$210,000,000. Now add to this, \$800,000,000 more for the ordinary and extraordinary expenses of a corrupt and profligate radical revolutionary administration, and you have a tolerable idea of the burthens of the people. This \$500,000,000 being divided, makes \$40,000,000 per month, \$10,000,000 per week, \$1,400,000 per day, \$60,000 per hour, and \$1,000 per minute.—Pioneer.

THE WORKING MEN IN COUNCIL.

The Working Men Adopt the Greenback Platform—Anti-National Banks and Bond Taxation.

New York, July 4.—A meeting of the workmen was held last evening in the Cooper Institute, under the auspices of the National Labor Union, at which the following resolutions, among others, were adopted:

Resolved, That the National honor must be preserved by paying its debts in good faith, and that every debt of the Government not specifically contracted and paid in coin should be paid in lawful currency of the United States.

Resolved, That bonds when redeemable should be paid in legal tender notes, or exchanged for other bonds at 8 per cent, converting into lawful money at the pleasure of the holder.

Resolved, That public interest demands the withdrawal of circulating notes of national banks, and the substitution of legal tender treasury certificates in their stead.

Resolved, That we demand equal taxation on every species of property, according to its real value.

Resolved, That no more of public domain shall be granted to any corporation, under any pretext whatever, and all the lands not disposed of should be withdrawn from the market and granted only in small quantities to actual settlers.

The bill to tax the Bonds.

The radical press has, with hardly an exception, denounced with unrelenting fury, the bill to tax the interest on the United States bonds. They call it repudiation; they say it is a violation of the Chicago platform; they call it rascality and scoundrelism—the Tribune names it "grand larceny." This is a very curious way to drive the radicals from the support of the measure and to defeat it. It looks like equalizing taxation, it would produce \$15,000,000 a year revenue: it would collect money for the treasury from a source that now pays none. For these reasons the radicals oppose it and will defeat it.

Mexico.

New York, July 7.—City of Mexico letters say that Rivera has been deserted by many of his followers, and several of the officers whose names are signed to his pronunciamento have denied the authenticity of the signatures, and disclaimed all sympathy with the affair. He himself has disappeared, and it is reported is going towards the north.

Canales, Carravajal and others are said to be in Texas, preparing for a raid on the Rio Grande States.

The ex-rebel, Gen. W. C. Wickham, who rose to high military distinction under Lee, has taken the stump for Grant and Colfax in Virginia.

Of course a rebel who turns radical is "all right."

How Much Wiser than Grant?

It has transpired that Admiral Farragut was written to by both political parties on the subject of becoming a candidate for the Presidency. A Republican wrote to him before Grant had been generally agreed upon, and he briefly declined. A Democrat then wrote to him, and the following is given as his answer:

The Admiral said in substance that he had already reached a far higher position than he had ever dared to hope for, and higher than his merits deserved. Grateful to his countrymen for the honors they had heaped upon him, he could not in justice to them or himself venture upon still loftier duties for which he felt himself unqualified, and therefore he peremptorily declined the tendered nomination.

Had Grant been equally wise, modest and prudent, he would not now have seen all his little weakness paraded to the world, his errors scorched by the glare of critical eyes, his fame tarnished by the dirty mire of politics to which he has descended, and himself made the football and tool of faction.

It is reported that an investigating committee in Washington have discovered a fraud, covering nearly a million of dollars, committed upon the Government Treasury, with the connivance of a clerk.

HOME ITEMS.

HERALD AGENT CARVER—G. A. Du Toit.

Time Table of M. V. R. R.

The following indicates the time for the arrival of trains at Meridian Station:

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CHASKA, FRIDAY, JULY 17, 1868.

FOR PRESIDENT.

HORATIO SEYMOUR,
OF NEW YORK.

FOR VICE PRESIDENT.

Francis P. Blair,
OF MISSOURI.

Democratic Presidential Electors.

A. G. CHATFIELD,
LUTHER DEARBORN,
C. H. LEMAL,
W. W. PHELPS.

Democratic Platform.

On the fourth page we publish the declaratory principles of the Democratic party, promulgated by the National Convention at New York, July 4th, and upon which the Presidential nominees stand.

Every plank is as sound as oak, and presents a strong contrast to the milk and water concern adopted by the radical Convention at Chicago.

We shall call the attention of the farmer and the laborer to the respective merits of the cardinal principles of the two parties, upon the bond question and also upon the mode of paying the National debt, ere the campaign has far advanced, feeling confident that a thorough understanding of the principles of the two parties, will greatly rebound to the interest of the Democratic party.

ACCEPTANCE OF Gov. Seymour and Gen. Blair. SOUND DOCTRINES.

New York, July 11.—The committee designated by the National Democratic Convention to present their nomination to candidates, performed the duty assigned them at Tammany Hall, in presence of a great number of spectators. Gen. Morgan of Ohio, chairman of the committee, in an appropriate address, made a formal tender of the nomination to Governor Seymour and Gen. Blair. Gov. Seymour replied as follows:

"Mr. Chairman and gentlemen of the committee. I thank you for the courteous terms in which you have communicated to me the action of the Democratic National Convention. I have no words adequate to express my gratitude for the kindness and good will of that body, as evinced by this nomination. It was unsought, unexpected. It was my purpose to take an active part from which I am now excluded, in the great struggle going on for the restoration of good government, peace and prosperity to our country. (Great cheering) but I have been caught up by an overwhelming tide that is bearing us on to a great political change, and find myself unable to resist its pressure. (Cheers) You have also given me a copy of resolutions put forth by the convention, showing its position on the great questions which now agitate the country. As the presiding officer of the convention, I am familiar with their scope and meaning; as one of its members, I am a party to their terms. They are in accord with my wishes. I stand upon them in the contest into which we are now entering, and I shall strive to carry them out in full wherever I may be placed in public or private life. I congratulate you and all conservative men who wish to restore order, peace, prosperity and good government to our land upon the evidence everywhere shown that we are to triumph at the next election. (Cheers) Those who are politically opposed to us flatter themselves that there would be discord in our councils. They mistake the uncertainties of our views as to the best mode of carrying out our purposes for difference of opinion with regard to those purposes. They mistake an intense anxiety to do no act which should not be wise and judicious for a spirit of discord, but during the lengthened proceedings and earnest discussions of the Convention, there has prevailed an entire harmony of intercourse, a patient forbearance and self-sacrificing spirit, which are the true tokens of a coming victory. Accept for yourselves, gentlemen, my wishes for your future welfare and happiness. In a few days I will answer the communication you have just handed me by letter in the customary form. [Tremendous and long continued cheers.]

Gen. Blair made some remarks accepting the nomination for Vice President, and pledging himself to adhere to the principles enunciated in the platform.

C. B. TIRRELL, ESQ.

We are pleased to learn that the Republican friends of Lieut. C. B. Tirrell, are soliciting his nomination by the Republican Convention of Hennepin County for Register of Deeds. Although differing in politics from Mr. Tirrell, we are in justice to him, must say, that he is one of the most reliable gentlemen of our acquaintance.

Mr. Tirrell is a lawyer by profession, had just commenced practice in this town with remarkable success, at the breaking out of the rebellion. He at once enlisted as a private in the old Minnesota First; was in every battle of the Regiment for three years, until the brave old first was reduced to a mere skeleton, when upon its disbandment, and the organization of the 1st Minn. Battalion, he was elected and commissioned 1st Lieut. of Co. "C." In an engagement before Petersburg, he received a serious wound in the left arm which renders it almost useless. Throughout his term of service of nearly four years, he distinguished himself as a brave and fearless soldier and officer. Since the war he has been engaged in farming on Eden Prairie.

We have known Mr. Tirrell as a boy, a man, a lawyer, a soldier and a farmer. And in all these relations we have ever found in him all the characteristics of an honorable man, gentleman and scholar. We know of but one fault with him, he is unfortunately a radical. The Republicans of Hennepin County will find in Mr. Tirrell an efficient officer and a courteous gentleman.

Horatio Seymour is the first living American orator. The St. Louis Dispatch truly says: "His political speeches rank among the ablest, most remarkable, and convincing efforts of the times. There is no public speaker whom the opposition so much dread as they do Seymour. It is seldom that they attempt to answer his arguments save by abuse and misrepresentation."

BOYS IN BLUE.

New York, July 11.—The Soldiers and Sailors Executive Committee organized yesterday. General James M. McQuade of Utah was chosen Chairman; Col. J. R. O'Brien, of Washington, Recording Secretary, and Gen. S. M. Zulick of Philadelphia, Corresponding Secretary. Col. Kingsley, of Boston, Gen. J. W. Deaver of California, Col. L. D. Campbell, of Ohio, were appointed a Sub-Executive Committee. Blair's nomination was entirely satisfactory. Seymours quietly accepted. The register of delegates shows a total of 2,300 names, among whom are over a hundred naval officers.

Mexico.

New York, July 9.—A Havana letter of the 4th contains rumors of an intended invasion of Mexico by Imperial leaders. Tabada is reported in New Orleans urging an operation from that quarter.—Santa Anna, being penniless, remains quiet.

Some of the more sensible radicals concede a great deal. For instance, Senator Wilson, the other day, in a speech in Massachusetts, said he would not ignore the fact that the Democratic party was a strong, compact organization which might cast 2,500,000 votes. He based his hopes of success on Grant's receiving 3,000,000 votes.

The New York Sun, (radical) of the 8th inst., said: "It is noticeable that the delegates to the Democratic Convention are of a higher order than usual. We observe a large proportion of men of solid character, old men of grave and reverend aspect, men who have not made politics a trade, but who have on this occasion come from the restraints of private life under the impulse of public duty."

"Truly loyal" reconstructed Tennessee seems likely to take the lead in repudiation. Under Brownlow the State debt has increased to \$35,000,000, the most of which has gone to bankrupt railroads, and they have not a cent to pay interest with.

THE INDIANS.

St. Louis, July 14.—Information from a gentleman who has just returned from Ft. Larnard state that the Indians are on the war path in that section, and it is reported that there are over six thousand Indians within 25 miles of Ft. Larnard. They have already killed ten or twelve white men.

The Milwaukee Wisconsin, (radical) says: "Horatio Seymour was nominated to-day on the 22d ballot. After CHASE he is the strongest man the Democratic party could have nominated."

HOME ITEMS.

HERALD AGENT CARVER—G. A. DuToit.

Time Table of M. V. R. R.

The following indicates the time for the arrival of trains at Merriam Station:
LEAVE ST. PAUL, 7:50 A. M., 8:30 P. M.
ARRIVE AT ST. PAUL, 11:00 A. M., 6:10 P. M.
J. F. Lincoln, Supt.

Tobacco Works.

In another column we publish the card of Messrs. Keifer & Suthermer, of the St. Paul, Steam Tobacco works. This is a new branch of manufacture in our midst, and it remains for our citizens throughout the State to support them in their experiment. We have seen samples of their manufacture and with other judges pronounce it excellent, equal in every respect to eastern and southern brands. They are enabled to sell at a lower figure than eastern houses, saving as they do in both transportation and in the cost of manufacture. We predict certain success.

A GOOD RUN.—We are informed by the gentlemanly business manager of the "Chaska Mill," J. S. Condit, Esq., that in eight months the mill ground 80,000 bushels of wheat. We believe this a better showing than any mill in the Valley can exhibit for the same time. It is needless to say they made money, for it is apparent from this statement.

AUSTIN DEMOCRAT.—This is the title of a new, staunch and good looking Democratic sheet. The editors and publishers Messrs. Wood & Lay strike out boldly in support of the poor man, advocating the right to tax the bonds of the rich man—sound democratic doctrine. Success, gentlemen.

HUMBOLDT.—The story going the rounds of the State papers that two women were poisoned to death, by potato bugs, in this County. Nothing of the kind has come to our knowledge, and if such had been the case we would probably have heard of it ere this. It is merely a humbug.

WHITE LIME.—Our friend Jas. Ryan of Chanhassen, has discovered a vein of white lime upon his place, and has already burned a kiln of 200 barrels. It has been pronounced by good judges, equal in quality to any now in use. We are pleased in this, as it is a great accommodation to our citizens, and will probably prove a source of pecuniary profit to Mr. Ryan. It will be kept for sale by our merchants at very reasonable figures.

VANISHED.—Several very accomplished young ladies, who were attending the Academy from abroad, have gone home to enjoy the vacation. We miss their graceful figures upon our streets, but hope to see them all back again at the opening of the next term.

NEW BUILDING.—Our Cooper, Jacob Glockner has erected a very commodious story and a half dwelling house on the corner of Walnut and first street. The building is enclosed and will soon be ready for occupancy. The Messrs. Von Milken were builders.

VACATION.—The Moravian Academy finished its regular term on last Friday, and a vacation of six weeks follow.

SECESSION.—Scarcely from every name and kind of Saleratus except the Best Chemical Saleratus. This is the kind to use on every occasion, for it is always uniform and perfect and always holds out weight.

REFRESHING RAIN.—The rain that fell on Monday evening does a great amount of good. The grain upon the prairie or high land began to suffer from the continued drought, but we now believe everything safe.

SAD ACCIDENT.—The little daughter of John Schmidt, met with a painful accident last Tuesday morning. She fell from the fence, breaking her right arm near the shoulder. Dr. Ray set it, and we are informed that the little martyr is doing as well as could be expected from the nature of the wound.

BAG HOLDER.—Simeon Mack has bought the right of this County for the sale of "Olds Self-Adjusting Bag Holder." It is a very convenient article and should be in the hands of every merchant, miller and farmer, handling grain. Sample at Young's Store.

Bear in mind that a meeting is called to meet in the Treasurers office in the Court House, on next Monday to organize an Agricultural Society. Be on hand.

SHAKOPEE.

Having a little leisure time we made this place a passing visit last week, in company with two "Jims"—of law, and we naturally fell in with as jolly and open hearted a set of fellows as can be found in the State—or anywhere else. There was John Edert, Co. Treasurer, Dr. Wakefield, Ike Lincoln, Jo. Neihoff, Squire How, Maj. Rose of Belle Plaine, and a host of others equally as prominent.

We found Shakopee all bustle and confusion, everybody hurrying hither and thither in more or less haste, owing to a good trade, and the meeting of the Democratic Convention, whose action in these times are of the greatest importance, but nothing of the kind can be said of this one, run as it was into the ground. Resulting in a split and withdrawal of several towns. This is a bad omen for the Democracy of Scott, and we certainly deplore the event. But we are digressing from our subject—Shakopee. We are under obligation to the gentlemen of the Argus office for kindness, and more especially to John Edert and his accomplished daughters. May it be in our power some day to return these little ministrations of comfort; until then we return our unfeigned thanks.

HARPER'S BAZAR.—The Bazar, and WEEKLY continue their regular visits, and are as attractive as ever. No family should be without the BAZAR. Send for sample copy.

IMPROVING.—Henry Young is improving the looks of his store, by adding an addition.

"How will white hairs become a fool and jester," said Henry IV. How ill, indeed, they become any one when "Barrett's Vegetable Hair Restorative" occasionally applied will keep the hair as fresh and glossy in old age as in youth. To this valuable article was awarded the only prize medal over all competitors.—G. A. Du Toit, Agent, Carver Minn.

WORLD AT HOME.—This sound literary magazine has fairly captivated our household, and we recommend it to the public. Address, for sample copy and prospectus, Isaac E. Rose & Co., No. 814 Chestnut St., Philadelphia, Pa.

MUSICAL PUBLICATIONS.—The U. S. Musical Review, Parlor Companion and the Glee Hive, musical works from the well known house of J. L. Peters, New York, for the month of July are upon our table. We recommend them to the public. Sample copies at our office.

Carver Items.

Our Special Correspondent.

HORSE STOLEN.—Mr. L. H. Griffin had a valuable horse stolen from Louisville, Scott Co., on Tuesday night July 14th. He is led to believe from information gathered, that the thief passed Merriam Station traveling east or south the same night. For the apprehension and conviction of the thief, and the return of the horse. The following is the description of the animal. A good sized bay horse, 4 years old, small star on forehead, white spot on each shoulder, carried by collar, right hind hoof black. Holds head high traveling. Had no shoes on when stolen.

REAPER TRIAL.

Johnson's Self Raker Ahead. A Reaper trial, to test the merits and demerits of the various Machines now offered for sale in this County, took place on the farm of Chas. Ludloff, in the town of Dahlgreen on Tuesday the 14th inst. under the supervision of the Carver County Agricultural Society, in the presence of a large number of farmers. The following well known and experienced farmers were chosen as judges, three of whom also drove teams, Henry Paulsen, H. F. Henning, Franz Schermer, Peter Nelson and Tobias Oetinger. Four machines were represented, to-wit: Wood's, Kirby's, Johnson's Self Raking, and the Excelsior with dropper attachment, all put on trial. One machine worked at a time, and each had two or three trials alternately, so as to give each machine a fair and equal chance to establish its superiority over the other.

The awards (which met with the hearty approval of all present) were as follows: For lightness of draft, width of cut, and ease of management the judges decided that the Johnson's Self Raking Reaper stood No. 1. The Kirby for a combined Reaper and Mower No. 2. The Excelsior did fair work, but in the estimation of all present is not adopted to meet the wants of the farmers as well as the Self Rakers, as it does not leave the bundles in good condition for binding, nor place them outside the track for the teams.

This trial is of much value to the farmers, as it will enable them to buy only such machines as will do their work in a satisfactory manner, and we hope they will profit by this test.

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BY F. E. DU TOIT.

CHASKA, FRIDAY, JULY 24, 1868.

FOR PRESIDENT.

HORATIO SEYMOUR,

OF NEW YORK.

FOR VICE PRESIDENT.

Francis P. Blair,

OF MISSOURI.

Democratic Presidential Electors.

A. G. CHATFIELD,
LUTHER DRABORN,
C. H. LIENAU,
W. W. PHELPS.Democratic Convention—Sec-
ond Congressional District.

A Convention of the Democracy of the Second Congressional District of the State of Minnesota is hereby called to be held at Ingersoll Hall, in the city of St. Paul, on Wednesday, the 24th day of September, A. D. 1868, to commence its session at 12 o'clock M., for the purpose of nominating a candidate for Representative in Congress from said district, to be elected at the ensuing election, and to transact any other business that may arise.

The representation in said Convention of the several counties in said district, is apportioned as follows:

Anoka, 2.	McLeod, 3.
Benton, 1.	Meeker, 2.
Carver, 1.	Miller, 1.
Chicago, 1.	Morrison, 1.
Crow Wing, 1.	Monongalia, 1.
Dakota, 15.	Pine, 1.
Douglas, 1.	Ramsey, 1.
Goodhue, 1.	Saint Louis, 1.
Hennepin, 20.	Sheburne, 1.
Isanti, 1.	Stearns, 13.
Kandiyohi, 1.	Wabasha, 14.
Lake, 1.	Wright, 6.
Marquette, 1.	Washington, 6.
All other counties One Delegate each.	

WM. LOCHREN,
Chairman Dem. Committee.

GRAND
DEMOCRATIC RALLY!

The Democracy of Carver and vicinity will rally the nomination of Seymour and Blair, next Saturday evening at that place. Good speakers will be in attendance. Turn out all and set the ball rolling.

How is This?

It has been said by the radicals that with the completion of "reconstruction" (so called) the expense of keeping the army there was to cease. But the Paymaster-General has just submitted the following estimates of the amounts required for the execution of the reconstruction acts in these States up to June 30, 1869.

In the First Military District (State of Virginia.) to June 30, 1869, \$100,000.

In the Second Military District (States of North Carolina and South Carolina) to June 30, 1869, \$24,000.

In the Third Military District (States of Georgia, Alabama and Florida) to June 30, 1869, \$150,000.

In the Fourth Military District (States of Mississippi and Arkansas) to June 30, 1869, \$108,400.

In the Fifth Military District (States of Louisiana and Texas) to June 30, 1869, \$80,000.

Here is \$462,000 asked for, in addition to the pay of the army and the cost of the Bureau in these States. Is the drain and the swindle upon the treasury never to cease?—Pioneer.

Alarmed at the East.

The radicals are seriously alarmed at the East by the immense strength of the Seymour and Blair ticket. We do not hesitate to say so. We copy the following from the New York correspondent of the Cincinnati Commercial:

A WORD OF CAUTION.

The Republican papers caution the opponents of the Democrats against too much confidence.

The Tribune says all Republicans must work earnestly and faithfully, as the election of Seymour is far from impossible.

The Commercial Advertiser gives similar caution, and says Seymour is undoubtedly the most popular man in the Democratic party, and will poll an enormous vote. Eternal vigilance will be necessary to elect Grant.

There is no "eternal vigilance" that can save Grant. He is "gone up." People have ceased to talk of him as having been nominated for the Presidency. When the election comes he will hardly know that he is running.

The "Old Maids of Northern Ohio" held an annual convention at Solon on

ORGANIZATION OF
The Carver County Agricultural Society.

In pursuance to a call the citizens of Carver County met at the Court House for the purpose of organizing a Carver County Agricultural Society.

The meeting was called to order by John Koch.

On motion John Duan was chosen Chairman and J. A. Sargent Secretary.

On motion a committee of five together with Chairman and Secretary be appointed to draft and report a constitution for said Society. John Koch, Bernhard Soice, H. J. Peck, Henry Schraun and Henry A. Koch be that committee.

Voted to adjourn for one hour.

Met according to adjournment. Report of the Committee on the Constitution of said Society adopted.

A number of gentlemen then signed the Constitution as incorporators of said Society.

On motion voted that a committee of five be appointed by the Chairman to report the names of permanent officers.

Frank Warner, Henry Schraun, Michael Hall, Bernhard Soice, John Koch were appointed said committee.

The committee reported the names of Chas. Ludloff for President, Ernest Poppitz for Vice President, Michael Hall 2d Vice President, John Duan for Secretary, and Fred E. Du Toit for Secretary, who were duly elected.

Voted that John Koch of Chaska, John M. Troll of Dahlgren, Henry Schraun of Laketown, Theodore Bost of Chanhassen, Anton Clagins of Waconia, August Krause of Watertown, Mathias Kelly of Hollywood, William Dunn of San Francisco, Robert Patterson of Young America, Nathaniel Cole of Camden, John Boy of Hancock, Thomas R. May of Benton, and Joseph Michaels of Carver, be elected as a board of Directors for said Society.

Voted that the Executive Committee take such action as in their judgment may be necessary for the increase of the membership of said Society.

Voted that the first annual fair of said Society be held at Chaska on the second Saturday in October next.

Voted that the Board of Directors meet at Chaska on the 1st Tuesday of September at 11 o'clock A. M. for the purpose of making such arrangements as they may think necessary for the County Fair.

Voted that the Executive Committee purchase books and Stationery for the use of said Society.

Voted thanks of this Society be tendered to H. J. Peck Esq. for drafting the constitution of said Society.

Voted to adjourn.

attest, J. A. SARGENT,
Secretary.

Gov. Seymour and the War.

The New York Express says:

When the war broke out Governor Seymour was Chairman of the War Committee for raising men and money for its prosecution. We are ready to put his patriotic record against that of any of his assailants. He was among the earliest, ablest, and truest defenders of all that tended to suppress the rebellion, while the war lasted, as he has been among the truest defenders of the government since the war closed.

The radical papers should call Gov. Seymour "a copperhead" more frequently than they do. Unless they display more vigor in the business nobody will believe them.

In reply to the manufactured statement of the radicals, that Seymour's repeated declaration of the New York nomination was feigned, and an act of duplicity, the New York Sun (radical) says:

"We have no doubt that he was perfectly sincere in declining it, and that he really did not wish for it. The idea that both he and his friends of the New York delegation were guilty of duplicity and trickery, is as absurd as it is unjust. Gov. Seymour was nominated, not because he and his colleagues played a game for the nomination, but because it had become plain that there was no other man in the party who could so appropriately as himself be selected as the standard bearer of the Democracy."

The Tribune says, "loyalty and liberty are the same." There is great difference. The "price of liberty is eternal vigilance," but the "price of loyalty is eternal taxation."

—In St. Louis for the week ending Saturday last sixty persons died of sunstroke, apoplexy and other diseases superinduced by heat. In Memphis there were eight deaths from excessive heat in twenty-four hours, including Lieutenant Guy Ryan, 25th U. S. Infantry.

—Lager beer is exported from this country to Germany.

—Boston has provided ice water fountains for the summer.

HOME ITEMS.

HERALD AGENT CARVER—G. A. Du Toit.

Time Table of M. V. R. R.

The following indicates the time for the arrival of trains at Meridian Station:

Leave St. Paul, Minn., 7:30 A. M., 8:30 P. M.
Arrive at St. Paul, Minn., 11:05 A. M., 6:10 P. M.

J. F. Lincoln, Supt.

HARVESTING—Has commenced in earnest in our County. The yield will be a much larger one than usual, outside of potatoes. So at least we are informed by our farmers. It is true that the extremely warm and dry weather of last month affected the yield of wheat in some localities, yet, withal, the prospect is splendid, and but few complain. Carver County will roll up the bushels. Look out for the return.

ACCIDENT.—We learn that an accident happened in Chanhassen township last Sunday, whereby the little child of Mr. Vogel was seriously hurt. We have not heard the particulars, except that it was the result of a runaway.

BRICK.—The Howes are just driving the brick business ahead. They have lately burned two large kilns, and are actively engaged moulding and setting for another burn. Chaska brick against the world.

CONTRACT LET.—The Supervisors let the contract for grading a piece of the Chaska and Glencoe road, near the residence of Joseph Veit, to Fred Salter & Co. for \$300. They being the lowest bidders. When finished, this will make a good piece of road into Chaska. A much needed improvement.

STRUCK BY LIGHTNING.—The residence of Capt. T. D. Smith was struck by lightning last Saturday evening. No damage was done, beyond a few boards of the Veranda being torn up and splintered.

LOUD CALL.—S. D. Howe, of Shakopee, commonly known as "Squire" made our City a call during the week. Squire is as gay and good natured as ever, and always has hosts of friends.

LAYING THE FOUNDATION.—The masons are at work laying the foundation for Peter Illis new Store building.

NEW FURNITURE.—Our indefatigable merchant Henry Young, has opened out a fine assortment of Furniture of every description in his old store. He has already received a large assortment of Chairs, Bureaus, Stands, Lounges, Beds, Cradles &c., &c., which he guarantees to sell cheaper than any firm in the county. He was to call and examine stock and prices, before purchasing elsewhere. See adv. in another column.

BARRETT'S HAIR RESTORATIVE.—After a trial of this widely known, and highly prized compound in our family, we most cheerfully recommend it to the citizens of Carver County, as possessing all the qualities claimed for it by the proprietors. It is far ahead of anything of the kind in market, and we would caution our friends against bogus compounds. Be sure and call for Barrett's Vegetable Hair Restorative. Sold by G. A. Du Toit, Agent for Carver Co.

DEPARTURE.—Mrs. C. A. Warner, and her son Willie, left Chaska for Mass. on Monday morning last. Mrs. Warner has been a resident of Chaska since 1857, and her departure has caused deep regrets among her many friends here and vicinity. Both carry away the good wishes of the entire community.

Mr. Chitty, teacher in the Moravian Academy has also returned to Penna. He leaves a host of friends here, who wish him well wherever he goes.

TIME TABLE.—In another column we publish a corrected copy of the timetable of the Milwaukee, St. Paul and Minneapolis Railroad. This is the best and most expedient route east.—Capt. Mark Hendricks is the general agent.

REAL ESTATE.—Transfers in Real estate have been quite brisk for some time past. Especially so for improved property.

L. L. Baxter sold his building near the Court House to Fred Greiner for \$1,200.

RATIFICATION.—Remember the ratification meeting at Carver Saturday evening. Turn out all.

ADVERTISEMENTS.—Read over carefully the advertisements of our different County firms, and profit thereby.

Hastings and Dakota Railroad.

We learn from Hastings papers that the company have let the contract for building 80 miles of the road; to be in running order this season, which will bring it into Scott County. According to this by another year the road will reach our County. This road is not quite a "myth," according to accounts of its activity.

WEATHER.—The weather continues unbearably warm. Nothing but our cool temper and admirable spirits carried us safely through thus far.

PERSONAL.—H. P. Upham of Saint Paul was in town during the week on business.

Mr. Carpenter and family also from the same place spent a day in town with Mr. James.

CONVENTION.—The call for a Democratic County Convention will appear in our next issue.

READ.—In the next column will be found the proceedings of the Agricultural meeting. It will be seen that a society was organized, and it was voted to hold a fair this fall. Let all farmers take hold of the matter and we will have a rousing society.

THANKS.—Mr. De Ville will accept our thanks for a fine mess of Lake fish. Mr. De Ville ranks as one of our best fishers.

GODEY'S MAGAZINE.—The July number of this magnificent monthly is before us. The plates excel in anything those of previous numbers, and as for its literary contents they are of an unusual high order.

No lady, who prizes her time valuable, should be without this queen of monthlies, for Godey is golden.

EVERY SATURDAY.—This splendid literary weekly, still maintains its high reputation. The July 25th number contains some entertaining selections from foreign works. Address Ticknor & Fields, Publisher, Boston, Mass.

UNION.—Unite your good flour with D. B. De Land & Co.'s Best Chemical Saleratus if you want extra bread, biscuit and pastry of all kinds. United they rise, divided they fall.

Carver Items.

Our Special Correspondent.

CLOSED.—The school at near Benton under charge of our friend Henry F. Sheuber closed last Friday. Henry has returned to town and will remain with us during the summer. We are glad to see him feeling so well.

PERSONAL.—We have been visited during the past week, by a host of good fellows, among whom was Robt. A. Irvin of Belle Plaine, Col. Baxter, and Maj. Peck of Chaska, and Capt. Brown and Truman D. Strait of Shakopee. We are always glad to meet old friends, and it makes us glad to have them call on us.

Gen. "Christopher Columbus" Andrews of Saint Cloud, spent a few days in town last week. We understand that he is on an "electrotoning tour," being a candidate for Congress in this District. Our Republican friends had him in charge.

FOUND.—We mentioned last week that L. H. Griffin had lost a valuable horse. Since then he has been found, having strayed up to the place of John Howits opposite Belle Plaine.

Capt. George Houghton spent a few days at home this week.

NEAT.—That "porch" attached to the house of Ed. Goetz, also those beautiful trees around his garden.

GRAND DEMOCRATIC RALLY.—A grand Rally of the Democracy will take place at Carver on Saturday evening July 25th. Among the prominent speakers invited to address the meeting is Judge Warner, Col. Baxter, Maj. Peck, Judge Sargent, Lieut. Weinman and Fred E. Du Toit.

Let there be a full turn out.

EXPECTED.—Fred Cook, one of the proprietors of the "Carver Hotel" is expected back this week. He has been in Indiana for a month past, and rumor has it that he will invest in "calico" before returning.

H. R. Denny, our Hardware merchant will leave next week for Massachusetts, to bring his family to Minnesota.

LAW SUITS.—Carver has been blessed with innumerable "law suits" for the last two weeks, keeping justices Letford and Johnson quite busy.

BURN.—Messrs. Miller & Griggs, finished burning a kiln of brick on Saturday.

BARBER SHOP.—C. J. Lundgreen has opened out a first class, "Barber shop" at this place. Give him a call.

CORN POTATOES &c.—Mr. Capt. G. Houghton takes the lead for early vegetables. There is some splendid "roasting ears" in his garden, and "new potatoes" are "getting old" having had time to eat for the last week. Mrs. Houghton has a very neat garden, and she knows how to make it so.

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Telegraphic Summary.

General News.

The morning session of the Senate in the Senate Chamber, Washington, D. C., was held on Wednesday, June 17, 1903. The Senate was called to order by the Vice President, Mr. Sherman, at 10 o'clock. The session was held in the Senate Chamber, Washington, D. C., on Wednesday, June 17, 1903.

Major General B. H. Smith, U. S. A., retired, has been appointed as Professor of Military Science of the Missouri State University at Columbia, Mo.

Three buildings in New York, N. Y., occupied by some twenty or thirty families, were burned Wednesday morning. Loss \$100,000.

The death of Hon. Edward Cole, one of the early governors of Illinois, from 1822 to 1838, is announced. He died at Philadelphia on the 17th inst., in the 82nd year of his age.

It is understood that Hon. W. H. Woodford will shortly be sworn in as Governor of Ohio. He is a native of Ohio and has been a member of the Ohio House of Representatives for many years.

Police, associated with the Mayor, of the Boston Police and Fire Department, are reported to be in the city in the city of Boston, Mass., on Wednesday, June 17, 1903.

Right head of fine fat cattle, worth from \$100 to \$150 each, dropped dead at the Corvallis, Ky., stock yards, Wednesday, June 17, 1903. The carcasses were found in the city of Corvallis, Ky., on Wednesday, June 17, 1903.

Washington, D. C., June 17, 1903. The President has issued an order to the military officers in the city of Washington, D. C., to be in the city of Washington, D. C., on Wednesday, June 17, 1903.

A negro named Ben String, while crossing Bayou, in the city of New Orleans, La., was shot and killed. The body was found in the city of New Orleans, La., on Wednesday, June 17, 1903.

The hot weather of the past few days seems to have extended to the city of New Orleans, La., on Wednesday, June 17, 1903. The temperature was in the city of New Orleans, La., on Wednesday, June 17, 1903.

The Senate has confirmed J. S. Watts as Chief Justice of New Mexico. The Senate was held in the Senate Chamber, Washington, D. C., on Wednesday, June 17, 1903.

Michael J. Cahan and George A. Burke, two U. S. soldiers, have been sentenced to be executed on the 20th of June, 1903. The execution was in the city of New Orleans, La., on Wednesday, June 17, 1903.

Deaths in New York for the week ending the 14th inst. were 614, or 201 more than last week. The deaths were in the city of New York, N. Y., on Wednesday, June 17, 1903.

The story that Judge Fielding Hare had been seized by a party of men, at the city of New Orleans, La., on Wednesday, June 17, 1903. The story was in the city of New Orleans, La., on Wednesday, June 17, 1903.

General Stearns has appointed James S. Brown, judge of the city of New Orleans, La., on Wednesday, June 17, 1903. The appointment was in the city of New Orleans, La., on Wednesday, June 17, 1903.

A best containing a party of five who were attending a picnic at the city of New Orleans, La., on Wednesday, June 17, 1903. The picnic was in the city of New Orleans, La., on Wednesday, June 17, 1903.

From all quarters, both of the United States and Canada, accounts of the excessive heat and deaths by sun stroke. The heat was in the city of New Orleans, La., on Wednesday, June 17, 1903.

The President has nominated to the Senate Anthony F. Campbell, postmaster at Brooklyn, N. Y., on Wednesday, June 17, 1903. The nomination was in the city of New Orleans, La., on Wednesday, June 17, 1903.

The Jewish Orphan Asylum, in Cleveland, Ohio, has been visited by a party of men, at the city of New Orleans, La., on Wednesday, June 17, 1903. The visit was in the city of New Orleans, La., on Wednesday, June 17, 1903.

The force of the Freedmen's Bureau in all states where it is operating will be reduced in a short time. The reduction was in the city of New Orleans, La., on Wednesday, June 17, 1903.

News and Miscellany.

ACROSS THE SIERRA NEVADA.

The first passenger train from Sacramento to the mountains.

The Alta California gives the following description of the passage of the first passenger train from Sacramento to the mountains.

"Desiring to be among the first to cross the Sierra Nevada by the new route, the writer left San Francisco at 4 p. m. on Wednesday, June 17, by the steamer U. S. S. Albatross, bound for Sacramento.

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The Last Hours of Poe.

Dr. J. S. Smith, of the city of New Orleans, La., on Wednesday, June 17, 1903. The story was in the city of New Orleans, La., on Wednesday, June 17, 1903.

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DEMOCRATIC PLATFORM.

The committee on resolutions then submitted their report, of which the following is the telegraphic synopsis:
They declared their Democratic party, representing the intelligence and justice of the people, standing upon the constitution, recognizing slavery and secession as settled by the war or the voluntary action of the Southern States, and never to be renewed.

First—No demand for the immediate restoration of all the States.
Second—Amnesty for all political offences, and the right of suffrage in all the States.

Third—The payment of the public debt when the obligations do not expressly state on their face, or the law under which issued, does not provide payment in coin, should be paid in lawful money of the United States. (Prolonged cheers.)

Fourth—Equal taxation of all property, including government bonds.

Fifth—One currency for everybody; and

Sixth—Economy in the administration of the army and navy; the abolition of the freedmen's bureau, and of inquisitorial notes of collecting revenue; and such tariffs for revenue as will afford protection to industry.

Seventh—The subordination of military to civil power.

Eighth—Equal rights; protection for native and adopted citizens against the doctrines of immutability of allegiance; denunciation of the usurpation and tyranny of the radical party; its violation of its pledge to conduct the war only for the preservation of the Union, instead of which its fruits are subjugated States, the overthrow of the freedom of speech and of the press, the establishment of a system of espionage; a disregard for habeas corpus; it threatens to destroy the jurisdiction of the Supreme Court, and has maligned the Chief Justice because of his integrity on the trial of the President.

The report continued at some considerable length to reiterate these abuses, and, in conclusion, declares that privilege and trust of suffrage belong exclusively to the control of each State, and that Congress has usurped its right in violation of the Constitution. It especially denounces the reconstruction acts as usurpations, unconstitutional and void. The soldiers' and sailors' pensions should be faithfully paid, the public lands should be reserved for homesteads, and that the country should be kept open for resisting the aggressions of Congress. [Loud Cheers.]

In conclusion the report invites men of all parties in the past to unite on this platform.

MORTGAGE SALE.

Mortgagees—Samuel May and Mary May his wife, of the County of Carver, Minnesota.
Mortgagee—Henry Niehaus of the same place.

Mortgage dated the 31st day of December 1886 and recorded on the 9th day of January A. D. 1887, at ten o'clock in the forenoon in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the County of Carver and State of Minnesota, in Book "B" of Mortgages on pages 64 and 65.

Disposition of Mortgages premises. The east half (1/2) of the north west quarter (1/4) of section twenty four (24) in township one hundred and sixteen (116) and range (25) according to government survey, containing eighty acres more or less, and situated in the County of Carver and State of Minnesota.

Said mortgage given to secure the payment of a promissory note of six hundred dollars bearing even date with said mortgage, payable eighteen months from date, with interest from date at the rate of ten per cent per annum.

The amount claimed to be due on said mortgage at the date of this notice is six hundred and thirty dollars (\$630.00) no part of which has been paid and no action or proceedings at law have been instituted to recover the same or any part thereof, and default having been made in the conditions of said mortgage. Now therefore, notice is hereby given that by virtue of a power of sale contained in said mortgage and recorded with said mortgage and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, the said mortgage will be foreclosed by sale of the mortgaged premises aforesaid, at public auction at the front door of the Court House in Chaska in said County on Monday the 24th day of August A. D. 1888, at one o'clock in the afternoon of that day, to satisfy the amount then due on the note secured by said mortgage, together with the costs and expenses of sale including the sum of twenty dollars stipulated in said mortgage to be paid by said mortgagor in case of foreclosure, of said mortgage as solicitor's fees.

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CHASKA, FRIDAY, JULY 31, 1898.

FOR PRESIDENT.

HORATIO SEYMOUR,

OF NEW YORK.

FOR VICE PRESIDENT.

Francis P. Blair.

OF MISSOURI.

Democratic Presidential Electors.

A. C. CHATFIELD.

LUTHER DEANSON.

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W. W. PHELPS.

CARVER COUNTY

Democratic Convention.

Notice is hereby given that the Democratic Convention of Carver County will be held at the Court House in the town of Lakewood on Saturday the 31st day of July A. D. 1898 at 11 o'clock A. M. for the purpose of selecting delegates to attend the 34th Congressional Democratic Convention at St. Paul on Wednesday the 3rd day of September A. D. 1898. At 12 o'clock M. likewise to nominate candidates for County Auditor. Also one candidate for Representative in the State Legislature. The basis of representation in the said Convention of the respective Towns according to the Democratic vote of the last general election is as follows, viz:

Town	Representatives
Benton	1
Chaska	2
Lakewood	2
San Francisco	2
Hancock	2
Chapman	2
Watson	2
Young America	2

Dated 26th day of July A. D. 1898
Carver Co. Democratic Committee.

COUNTY CONVENTION.

The Democratic County Convention is called to meet at Frits Oberles, in Lakewood, on Saturday September 5th at 11 o'clock A. M.

We do not intend in this article to advocate the claims of any man to either the Auditorship, or as our Representative. We have our personal choice, but that has nothing to do with us as a journalist. All we ask of the Convention, is, one deliberation in its selection of candidates. We want men that are capable, honest and efficient, and that can also pull the full party vote; men who will work for the ticket, the whole ticket, from the day of their nomination until their election. We want no cliques to rule the convention, no packing of caucuses, we want a straight forward and honest convention, and then we can enter the canvass as one man, united and strong. Democrats let this spirit rule the convention and we guarantee you a glorious victory on the 10th of November next.

We might mention that Messrs. I. I. Lewis and Joseph Weinmann are in the field as candidates for the Legislature. We have also heard the name of Col. Baxter mentioned in connection with the same office. Mr. Peter Weego, the present incumbent is prominently spoken of as a candidate for re-election, as Auditor. Henry Aspdens name is also used in the same connection.

CORRESPONDENCE.

WATERTOWN, CARVER CO.

July 23d 1898.

Mr. Editor:—The time is near at hand when the Democracy of Carver will be called in Convention to place in nomination a candidate for the Legislature. And we offer to that Convention the name of Isaac I. Lewis of this town. Mr. Lewis is among the oldest residents of the County, his interests have always been and are still identified with that of the County; familiar with all its parts, and interests, and possessing an energetic and persevering character, our interests in his hands would always be safe. He is a life long democrat, the unflinching friend of liberty and the Constitution. A patriot who in the hour of National peril never faltered in his duty to his country and although exempt from military duty himself, he sent a substitute to the field and always contributed freely to aid in putting down the rebellion and restoring peace to the Country. As a legislator during the past session he earned the reputation of being one of the very best and efficient members of that body, and we are anxious he should again be returned as our representative.

We presume the claims of this part of the County is no where questioned. Chaska having the Senator, we think this part of the County is fairly and justly entitled to the representative, and have no doubt our friends every where will cheerfully concede to us our rights.

MANY CITIZENS.

REAPER TRIAL.

Pursuant to public notices given containing a general invitation to all agents having Reapers for sale, and all parties interested, a Reaper trial took place on the farm of Charles Ludloff in the town of Dahlgren Carver County Minnesota, on the 14th day of July A. D. 1898. The following Reapers were represented and brought on the ground for trial namely: "Johnston" (6 feet cut), "Kirby" (5 feet cut), "Woods" (5 feet cut) and Excelsior (a dropper), and about 117 persons were present to witness the trial, which was observed with the greatest attention. The assembly called to order by Mr. Fred Hennings, whereupon Henry Paulson was chosen President and Peter Thompson Secretary of said assembly. After the organization, the following resolutions were adopted. Resolved that a Committee of five (5) persons be appointed to act as drivers and judges of said trial: whereupon the following named persons were appointed to wit: Charles Ludloff, Peter Nilson, Frank Schirmer, Tobias Ottinger and Fred Hennings, and that each driver with his team shall drive each machine twice around the field. Resolved, that each Reaper receives its number for entrance into the field to wit: Johnston No. 1, Woods No. 2, and Kirby No. 3. Reapers entered in regular order according to its number, and displayed their work in the best manner possible, and at the close, the Excelsior made two (2) rounds. After all the display of work by the different Reapers above named, the committee assembled at the house of Charles Ludloff, when the following decisions were made and rendered by said committee to wit: Ease of draft, "Kirby" No. 1, Johnston No. 2 and Woods No. 3, as unanimously agreed by the teamsters, and as to the ease of draft between the "Kirby" and "Johnston" according to the number of feet cut, the "Kirby" was declared the winner, but on the closed the decision one for "Kirby" and two for "Johnston". In perfection of work done by the Kirby and Johnston as self rakers, the difference could not be ascertained, they both being perfect, but decided in favor of Johnston as the most convenient in raising and lowering the cut without stopping, and therefore rendered the following decision to wit: Johnston No. 1, Kirby No. 2 and Woods No. 3 as Reapers exclusively, and the Kirby No. 1, as Reaper and mower combined. At the close of the trial as above named, the Excelsior mowed as good work as could be expected by a dropper, there was no opposition on the ground for trial as dropper, the committee did not deem necessary to render any decision in the matter, merely that it was apparently convenient in handling and easy draft, but did not gather bundles as well as the others above named. After rendering the decision as aforesaid, the same was read openly by the Secretary, after which great applause and loud cries of Hurrah were sounded for the victors, "Kirby" and "Johnston".

Respectfully submitted by the Committee.

Charles Ludloff,

Peter Nilson,

Frank Schirmer,

Tobias Ottinger,

Fred Hennings.

HENRY PAULSON, President.

PETER THOMPSON, Secretary.

BALTIMORE.

Effects of the Flood—Loss Several Millions—Loss of Life.

BALTIMORE, July 25.—The loss by the flood yesterday foots up several millions. At Elliott City the destruction of life and property is great. Thirty houses were swept away, some of them containing whole families, who were carried with the current and drowned. Several bodies have been recovered today at and near the Relay House, about eight miles below.

The following are the reported drowned at Elliott City:

William Patterson, wife and son, Mrs. Farren and two grandchildren, Fannie and Emma Bural, William Riese, wife, son, and daughter.

The family of Dr. Owens and a number of other names are not given.

The losses of property at Elliott City are very heavy.

The loss of life in Baltimore city not positively known, exceed four, only that number of bodies being yet found, but some of them were undoubtedly swept into the river.

A jury has at last been got together, in the Van Sollen case, and the trial commenced yesterday. It is safe to predict that he will be acquitted of the charge of murder, as no jury is likely to agree on a verdict.

This line answers our purpose

HOME ITEMS.

HERALD AGENT CARVER—G. A. Du Toit.

Time Table of M. V. R. R.

The following indicates the time for the arrival of trains at Merriam Station:

Leave St. Paul, Minn., 7:50 A. M., 3:50 P. M.

Arrive at St. Paul, Minn., 11:05 A. M., 6:10 P. M.

J. F. Lincoln, Supt.

To All Concerned.

Notice is hereby given to those feeling themselves aggrieved by an erroneous assessment of their property, that they are required to appear before the County Board at their session on the 1st Tuesday in September next, as required by law. All abatement and equalizations must be made then.

FRED E. DU TOIT,

Chairman Co. Commissioners.

RETURNED.—Col. Griggs returned home last Monday evening from the east. The Col. was a delegate to the Soldiers Convention, after doing his duty there, paid his old home in Connecticut a visit. He looks as *ugly* as ever.

Judge Sargeants family arrived home from a trip east, last Tuesday. Mrs. Sargeant was accompanied by her sister Miss Thompson.

READ! READ!—The huge advertisement of H. R. Denny the Prince Hardware Merchant of Carver County.

Mr. Denny sell goods cheap, and knows the value of printers ink. Patronize him.

DULL.—Business of every description is very dull now. Our stores are all idle, and the clerks are enjoying a resting spell. As soon as harvest is over we expect to see a lively time.

IMPROVEMENTS.—Messrs. Linenfelser & Co., have improved the appearance of their corner by building a piece of sidewalk along the side of their store and adding a picket fence in front of their lot.

Mr. James is also beautifying his premises by building a neat picket fence around his homestead. All of these little improvements tell greatly in the appearance of property.

HARVEST HANDS HAVE BEEN AND ARE STILL VERY SCARCE IN THIS SECTION.—As high as four dollars per day has been paid for help. It is fortunate for this County that so many machines were introduced, otherwise the crop would have to suffer and the farmers been losers thereby.

LADY UP.—Our friend Fritz Greiner has been laid up for a few days with a lame foot. But he bears his martyrdom with Christian fortitude. Fritz hurry up, and hobble about, it is lonely without you.

RAIN.—We were visited with a very fine shower on Wednesday evening and night. The rain came down in quantities large enough to suit the most fastidious. We are afraid that the wind lodged some of the grain.

FERRY.—Fred Hilt, he who runs the ferry, had the boat hauled out of water and calked and otherwise repaired last Saturday. The boat is now in good condition and carries her freight over the river in perfect safety. Patronize Fred.

MEASLES AT WACONIA.—We are informed that this unpleasant visitant is raging round and about Waconia. Chaska had a pretty thorough taste of this unpleasantness two years ago, when nearly every family in town were visited.

PERSONAL.—James Ellsworth, Esq. of Northampton, Mass., a gentleman well known here, being formerly an extensive property holder in Carver County, is spending a few days in town with his friends. Mr. Ellsworth health has been very poorly, and is trying the exhilarating climate of Minnesota, hoping to derive some benefit therefrom.

MARKET DAY.—Last Saturday was "market day." It was rather small, owing to the farmers being so busy at the present time. They preferred to put their grain rather than to attend the fair.

REPAIRING.—E. Holmes is engaged in repairing his residence. The next thing will be a "coat of paint" then it will be much improved in looks.

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TOMATOES.—We were presented with a few nice ripe tomatoes, which were raised in the garden of Mrs. Capt. Johnson. This we believe is the first of the season.

COMMUNICATION.

Below we publish a communication received this week from one T. R. Mears of Pleasant Grove Minnesota.—It purports to be a challenge to Mr. Wm. Benson of Carver, to meet him in public debate. We do as requested, although we are averse to burdening our columns with many such. Mr. Benson is a worthy gentleman and is so regarded by all here about.

Ed. Herald.—Thinking that the good people of your vicinity could be brought to a more correct impression as to the views and principles of the Republican party, I have determined to visit your place and give my feeble endeavors to that purpose. You will therefore greatly oblige by giving notice to that effect, and furthermore that I particularly desire to meet in debate at said place, W. S. Benson, Esq., of Carver in order to discuss the political issues of the day, said debate to take place on the evening of the 29th of August 1898.

Yours Respectfully,

T. R. MEARS.

ATLANTIC MONTHLY.—The June number of this solid literary magazine is upon our table. To those wishing to read good sound articles, no trash being admitted to its columns, should subscribe for the Atlantic. Address, Tignor & Fields Boston, Mass.

"Obtaining money under false pretenses"—trending miserable hair preparations. A trade that is fast dying out, however; for the universal popularity of "Barrett's Vegetable Hair Restorative" is rapidly putting an effectual stop to such contraband traffic.—Richmond Enquirer.

Carver Items.

Our Special Correspondent.

DEMOCRATIC MEETING.—According to previous notice the Democracy of Carver gathered in large numbers at the School House on Saturday evening last to listen to able addresses, which were delivered by Judge Warner, Col. Baxter, Col. Murphy, Judge McDonald and others.

The Carver Brass Band was out and enlivened the occasion by discoursing sweet music. Chas. Foster & Co., Capt. Chas. Johnson was called to the chair, who after stating the object of the meeting, introduced to the audience Col. L. B. Baxter of Chaska, who made a half hour speech, in which he handled the Republican party without gloves.

Judge Warner then took the floor and in a long and able argumentative speech completely annihilated the republican doctrine; showing conclusively the ruinous policy they are and have been pursuing for the last four years. The Judge was often interrupted with applause.

Col. Murphy of Illinois spoke a few moments, short but to the point. The best of feeling prevailed and at 12 o'clock the meeting adjourned with three cheers for Seymour and Blair.

ACCIDENT.—A boy of Andrew Erickson, 7 years of age fell from a horse last week and broke his arm.—The little fellow was brought in to Dr. Rogers who set it, and he is now improving, although paining him considerably.

A little girl of Andrew Bengtson of Louisville was also brought to Dr. Rogers for treatment, she having a large abscess upon one of her knees. It was a difficult operation to perform, but Dr. R. understand his business and is equal to the emergency every time.

PERSONAL.—Dr. E. Bray of Young America was in town on Monday, on professional business.

Col. J. C. Edson of Glencoe was also in town last week. The Col. reports the crop in good condition about Glencoe.

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Hoofland's German Bitters

are composed of the purest ingredients as they are medicinal, and have the reputation of being the most reliable and trustworthy of all medicines.

Hoofland's German Tonic

is a combination of all the ingredients of the Bitters, with the purest quality of Quinine, Iron, and Stramonium, making one of the most pleasant and agreeable remedies ever offered to the public.

Those preferring a Medicine free from Alcohol, adulteration, will use

Hoofland's German Bitters.

In cases of nervous depression, when some alcoholic stimulus is necessary.

HOOFLAND'S GERMAN TONIC

should be used.

The Bitters of the Tonic are both equally good, and contain the same medicinal ingredients, such as Iron, Quinine, and Stramonium, from a variety of causes, such as Indigestion, Nervous Debility, Loss of Appetite, etc., have the firm belief that it is very apt to be mistaken for the Bitters of the Tonic, and that the patient suffers from the effects of the following diseases:

Constipation, Flatulence, Inward Piles, Painful Discharge from the Rectum, Headache, Stomachic, Sour Eructations, Sinking or Fluttering at the Pit of the Stomach, Swelling of the Head, Harbored or Difficult Breathing, Flattering at the Heart, Choking or Suffocating Sensations when in a Lying Position, Dimness of Vision, Drops or Webs before the Sight, Pallor of the Face, Nervousness, Vertigo, Headache, Stomachic, Sour Eructations, Sinking or Fluttering at the Pit of the Stomach, Swelling of the Head, Harbored or Difficult Breathing, Flattering at the Heart, Choking or Suffocating Sensations when in a Lying Position, Dimness of Vision, Drops or Webs before the Sight, Pallor of the Face, Nervousness, Vertigo, Headache, Stomachic, Sour Eructations, Sinking or Fluttering at the Pit of the Stomach, Swelling of the Head, Harbored or Difficult Breathing, Flattering at the Heart, Choking or Suffocating Sensations when in a Lying Position, Dimness of Vision, Drops or Webs before the Sight, 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Telegraphic Summary.

General News.

The strike of the New York dock boys is ended.

James Stevenson the President, it is reported, has arrived in New York.

One hundred and sixty-five horses died in New York City last week, of the excessive heat.

Joseph W. Beach, veteran editor of the New York Sun, died at Wallingford, Connecticut, on the 24th.

Forty-four thousand pounds of lime have been distributed about New York City by the Board of Health.

John Crescivo, who some months since shot Tom Malone in the court room in Memphis, has been found guilty of murder in the first degree.

Hon. W. B. Howland, C. E., has been appointed Lieutenant Governor of Ontario, and Hon. L. J. Wilson, Lieutenant Governor of New Brunswick.

Page No. 1, Editor, late Minister Resident at Hamburg, has been appointed Extraordinary and Minister Plenipotentiary from Austria to the United States.

Refugees have been taken in the vicinity of Wilmington, N. C., in order to save the crops. Corn is scarce, and refugees are being sent to the north.

An order has been issued by the War Department carrying into effect the law of Congress making eight months a day's work for certain farmers, workmen, and mechanics in the employ of the Government.

It is reported that the long drought on the coast has been broken by a heavy rain.

A special commission, composed of the members of a recent conference, has been appointed to investigate the cause of the late epidemic of cholera in the United States.

A young man named M. J. Bush, of Zanesville, O., was found dead in his room at the Spencer House, at Savannah, Ga., on the 23rd. It is supposed that his death was caused by a heart ailment.

James A. Payne, Justice, expected of attending to the payment of taxes on six hundred barrels of distilled spirits, has been sentenced to the State Prison for two years and six months.

Charles F. Washburn, Justice of the Peace for the County of Hamilton, has been elected to the office of Justice of the Peace for the County of Hamilton, N. Y., for the term of two years.

The jury in the New York Court of Common Pleas, has rendered a verdict in the case of Frank Johnson, a negro, who was charged with the murder of a white woman, that the defendant was guilty of the crime.

An Omaha despatch says that the cholera epidemic party, composed of editors of some leading New York papers, arrived there on Sunday, and on Monday assumed the chair of the epidemic.

A contest between steamships and a new atmospheric power just built in London, has resulted in a victory for the latter.

It is officially announced that the cable from New York to London, which was laid in 1866, is to be replaced by a new one.

More than one hundred of the cattle of the State of New York, have been found to be infected with the disease known as "foot and mouth."

The Secretary of War has ordered that the bodies of the soldiers who died in the late war, should be buried in the United States.

Frank, who the leader of the desperate and daring band of robbers, who have been engaged in robbing Adams Express Company cars in the vicinity of New York, has been arrested in Windsor, Canada, on the 23rd.

For a full of \$400, the sheriff of Clay County, Indiana, has been ordered to take the train to St. Louis, on the Terre Haute road, and keep it until it reaches the city.

A report has been received at the headquarters of the army from Gen. Canby, commanding the fourth military district, dated Chicago, showing that the military district is in a state of peace and order.

The police have been ordered to keep a close watch on the streets of New York, in order to prevent any further outbreaks of the late epidemic.

The protesting diet of coals—Dan.

The resort of infants—Brest.

Sheet music—the cry of children in bed.

Pleasant time—the hope of women of twenty.

A waste of the new material—the form of a woman who never loses.

Alcohol is still full, while Grief is still lean.

An affection for men are troubled with a wish of ladies to the head.

Men do not in their graves half so much as the tombstones show them.

To love you is to love me, with your pleasure, at least it prevents you from having a good time.

The object of a woman is to have her husband in love with her.

A Hungarian desiring to remark on the domestic habits of a young lady said, "Oh, Mrs. How fondly you are."

America is a nation of railers, and Americans are a nation of railers. We repose on one, and get excited on the other.

The class of fiction and the mould of form are often cast in effect. One is the wine glass, and the other the wine.

One John D. Watters, in Detroit, changes his wife with throwing petroleum on him. So does his wife, who is in a state of mind on the troubled waters.

At a Sunday School lately, a bright little fellow was asked, "What is conscience?" "An inward monitor," was the reply. "And what is a monitor?" "One of the iron-clads."

A notice of a recent explosion in a Western paper, contains the following: "The Captain swam ashore. So did the clambroil; he was insured for \$15,000, and lived with him."

A young lady being asked by a female acquaintance whether she had any original poetry in her album, replied: "No; but some of my friends have favored me with some original spellings."

News and Miscellany.

WATER SPOUTS IN THE PACIFIC.

Exciting scene on board the steamer "Hesperus."

[Correspondence of the San Francisco Bulletin.]

This morning, while the sun was partially obscured by considerable mists, a heavy shower of water spouts, were seen some two and a half or three miles west of the vessel, the water beneath them being in great commotion, likely from the movement of the water.

They seemed to rise up from the bottom of the sea, and to be in the nature of a great fountain, the water being in great commotion, likely from the movement of the water.

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The Glories of Western New York A Visit to Free's Glen.

A correspondent of the Baltimore Commercial writes:

Further returning from Niagara Falls for the purpose of visiting the "Glen," when they give Watkins the "go-by." To the lovers of stupendous and romantic scenery it possesses a feature seldom met with in any other place; that is, a "Glen." It is a most beautiful and romantic spot, and is situated at the head of Seneca Lake. It is a most beautiful and romantic spot, and is situated at the head of Seneca Lake.

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Perils of Alpine Railroad Travel.

A correspondent of the London Times, describing the Heimer railway over the Alps, says:

"The late accident on the line, it is not too much exaggerated, and that nothing to do with the construction of the line itself. It occurred between Matry and Patsch, after passing the Brenner, in the direction of Munich. A part of the mountain cut, which had been made, gave way, and for a time the railway was closed. The engineer told me it had been fore

